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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Dayton, Ohio

Docket No. 8184.00

Application of

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Examiner: Kevin S. Parton

For: **DIGITAL DATA INTERCHANGE DEVICES AND NETWORKS**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 30, 2003, please amend the above-named application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 22 to 30.

Add new claims 31-35 as follows:

1-30. (canceled)

31. (new): A method of operating a self-service terminal, the method comprising the steps of:

establishing wireless communication with a portable device retained by a customer at the self-service terminal;

preparing data relating to a transaction that has been executed at the self-service terminal;

transferring the prepared data to the portable device via the wireless communication to provide the customer with an electronic receipt;